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UMC to Celebrate Homecoming

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The University of Minnesota, Crookston (UMC) will celebrate homecoming next week with activities taking place beginning Monday, September 19 and running through the Saturday, September 24. Theme for the week is "Aggie Legacy...Golden Eagle Destiny" and is a centennial homecoming celebration.

Highlights of the week include homecoming coronation on Thursday, September 22, at 8:00 p.m. in Kiehle Auditorium, the Athletic Hall of Fame and Outstanding Alumni Recognition event taking place on Friday evening, September 23 in Bede Ballroom. The 2005 Outstanding Alumni are Lyle Wick '74, Kristi Becker Ulrich '83, and Herman and Pauli Lill Roerick '84. Inductees into the UMC Athletic Hall of Fame are Coach Lori Ulferts, Mark Linnell '72-'74, and Cory Schreifels '04. The evening's schedule includes a 6:00 p.m. social, 6:30 p.m. dinner, and 7:00 p.m. program. Tickets are \$16.50 per person and can be reserved by contacting University Relations at 218-281-8439.

Saturday, September 24, is the homecoming parade at 11:30 a.m. around the campus mall followed by the Teambackers tailgate lunch in parking lot E, and the Football game vs. Wayne State at 1:30 p.m. on Ed Widseth Field. In the evening a special banquet and program will be held honoring all past and present UMC faculty and staff in celebration of UMC's 100 years of education and service.

Another highlight of homecoming weekend is Family Weekend for UMC students and family members. They will have the opportunity to participate in events especially for them. For a full schedule of events for homecoming week, please visit www.UMCrookston.edu and click on upcoming events.

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